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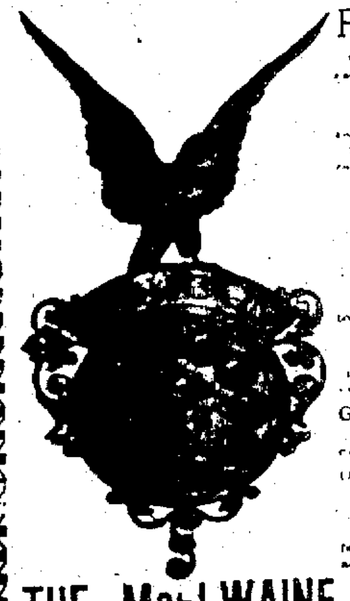

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An idea too possession of him. He approached her and took her cold hand. A half smile parted her pale lips.

"You have courage—you have devotion," he said, gravely. "I believe you regret the step you have taken. If you could undo what you have done, even at peril to yourself, dare you do it?"

"Yes," she said, breathlessly.

"You are known to the enemy. If I am surrounded you could pass through the confederate lines unquestioned."

"Yes," she said, eagerly.

"A note from me would pass you again through the pickets of our headquarters. But you would bear a note to the general that no eyes but his must see. It would not implicate you or yours—it would be only a word of warning."

"And you," she said, quickly, "would be saved! They would come to your assistance! You would not then be taken?"

He smiled gently. "Perhaps—who knows?"

He sat down and wrote hurriedly. "This," he said, handing her a slip of paper, "is a pass. You will use it beyond your own lines. This note," he continued, handing her a sealed envelope, "is for the general. No one else must see it, or know of it—not even your lover—should you meet him!"

"My lover!" she said, indignantly, with a dash of her old savagery, "what do you mean? I have no lover!"

Brant glanced at her flushed face. "I thought," he said, quietly, "that there was some one you cared for in yonder lines—some one you wrote to; it would have been an excuse—"

He stopped as her face paled again, and her hands dropped heavily at her side. "Good God! you thought that, too. You thought that I would sacrifice you for another man?"

"Pardon me," said Brant, quickly, "I was foolish. But whether your lover is a man or a cause, you have shown a woman's devotion. And in repairing your fault you are showing more than a woman's courage now."

To his surprise the color had again mounted to her pretty cheeks, and even a flash of mischief shone in her blue eyes. "It would have been 'an excuse' —yes—to save a man, surely. Well, I will go. I am ready."

"One moment," he said, gravely. "Although this pass and an escort insures your safe conduct, there is an engagement and some danger. Are you still ready to face it?"

"I am," she said, proudly, turning back a braid of her fallen hair. Yet a moment she hesitated. Then she said, in a lower voice: "Are you as ready to forgive?"

"In either case," he said, touched by her manner—"and God speed you."

He extended his hand and left a slight pressure on her cold fingers. But they slipped quickly from his grasp, and she turned away with a heightened color.

He stepped to the door. One or two aids-de-camp, withheld by his order against intrusion, were waiting eagerly with reports. The horse of a mounted field officer was pawing the garden turf. The officers stared at the young girl.

"Take Miss Faulkner with a flag to some safe point of the enemy's line. She is a non-combatant of their own, and will receive their protection."

He had scarcely exchanged a dozen words with the aids-de-camp before the field officer hurriedly entered. Taking Brant aside he said quickly: "Pardon me, general, but there is a strong feeling among the men that this attack is the result of some information obtained by the enemy. The woman you have just given a safeguard to is suspected, and the men are indignant."

"The more reason why she should be conveyed beyond any consequences of their folly, major," said Brant, frigidly, "and I look to you for her safe convoy. There is nothing in this attack to show that the enemy has received any information regarding us. But I would suggest that it would be better to see that my orders are carried out regarding the slaves and men combatants who are passing our lines from division headquarters, where valuable information may be obtained, than in the surveillance of a testy and outspoken girl."

An angry flush covered the major's check as he saluted and fell back, and Brant turned to the aid-de-camp. The news was grave. A column of the enemy had moved against the ridge; it was no longer possible to hold it; and the brigade was cut off from its communication with the division headquarters, although as yet no combined movement was made against it. Brant's secret fears that it was an intended impact against the center were confirmed. Would his communications to the division commander pass through the attacking column in time?

One thing puzzled him—the [illegible] enemy, after facing his line, had shown no disposition, even with their overwhelming force, to turn aside to cover him. He could easily have fallen back when it was possible to hold the ridge no longer, without pursuit. His flank and rear were not threatened, as they might have been by a division of so large an attacking column, and his retreat was still secure! It was this fact that seemed to show a failure or imperfection in the enemy's plan. It was possible that his precipitation of the attack by the changed signal had been the cause of it. Doubtless some provision had been made to attack him in flank and rear, but in the unexpected hurry of the outset it had to be abandoned. He could still save himself, as his officers knew, but his conviction, that he might yet be able to support his division commander by holding his position doggedly, but coolly awaiting his opportunity, was strong. More than that, it was his temperament and instinct.

Harrowing them in flank and rear, contesting the ground inch by inch, and holding his own against the artillery sent to dislodge him, or the cavalry that curled around to ride through his open ranks, he saw his files melt away before this steady current without flinching.

CHAPTER VI.

Yet all along that fateful ridge, now obscured and confused with thin creeping smoke drifts from the firing, like partly rubbed out slate pencil marks, or else, when cleared of these drifts, penetrating only as indistinguishable map of zig-zag lines of struggling men and horses, unintelligible to any eye but his, the singular magnetism of the chief was felt everywhere. Whether it was shown in the quick closing in of [illegible] action under fire, his power was always dominant. A word or two of comprehensive direction, sent through an aid-de-camp, or the sudden relief of his dark, watchful, composed face, uplifted above a line of bayonets, never failed in their magic. Like all born leaders, he seemed, in these emergencies, to hold a charmed life, infecting his followers with a like disbelief in death. Men dropped to right and left of him with serene assurance in their ghastly faces or a cry of life and confidence in their last gasp. Stragglers fell in and closed up under his passing glance; a hopeless inextricable wrangle around an overturned caisson, at a turn of the road, resolved itself into an orderly, quiet, deliberate clearing away of the impediment, before the significant waiting of that dark, silent horseman.

Yet under this imperturbable mask he was keenly conscious of everything; in that apparent concentration there was a sharpening of all his senses and his impressibility; he saw the first trace of doubt or alarm in the face of a subaltern to whom he was giving an order; the first touch of sluggishness in a reforming line; the more significant clumsiness of a living evolution that he knew was clogged by the dead bodies of comrades; the ominous silence of a breastwork; the awful inertia of some rigidly kneeling files beyond, which still kept their form but never would move again; the melting away of skirmish points; the sudden gaps here and there; the sickening incurving of what a moment before had been a straight line—all these he saw in all their fatal significance. But even at this moment, coming upon a hasty barricade of overset commissary wagons, he stopped to glance at a familiar figure he had seen but an hour ago, who now seemed to be commanding a group of collected stragglers and camp followers. Mounted on a wheel, with a revolver in each hand and a bowie knife between his teeth—theatrical even in this paroxysm of undoubted courage—glared Jim Hooker! And Clarence Brant, with the whole responsibility of the field on his shoulders, even at that desperate moment, found himself recalling a vivid picture of the actor Hooker personating the character of "Red Dick" in "Rosalie, the Prairie Flower," as he had seen him in a California theater five years before!

It wanted still an hour of the darkness that would probably close the fight of that day. Could he hold out, keeping his offensive position so long? A hasty council with his officers showed him that the weakness of their position had already infected them. They reminded him that his line of retreat was still open—that in the course of the night the enemy, although still pressing towards the division center, might yet turn and outflank him—or that their strangely delayed supports might come up before morning. Brant's glance, however, remained fixed on the main column still pursuing its way along the ridge. It struck him suddenly, however, that the steady current had stopped, spread out along the crest on both sides and was now at right angles with its previous course. There had been a check! The next moment the thunder of guns along the whole horizon and the rising cloud of smoke revealed a line of battle. The division center was engaged. The opportunity he had longed for had come—the desperate chance to throw himself on their rear and cut his way through the division—but it had come too late! He looked at his shattered ranks—scarce a regiment remained. Even as a demonstration—the attack would fail against the enemy's superior numbers. Nothing clearly was left to him now but to remain where he was—within supporting distance, and await the issue of the fight beyond. He was putting up his glass when the dull boom of cannon in the extreme western limit of the horizon attracted his attention. By the still gleaming sky he could see a long gray line stealing up from the valley from the distant rear of the headquarters to join the main column. They were the missing supports! His heart leaped! He held the key of the mystery now. The one imperfect detail of the enemy's plan was before him. The supports coming later from the west had seen only the second signal from the window—when Miss Faulkner had replaced the vase—and had avoided his position. It was impossible to limit the effect of this blunder! If the young girl who had thus saved him had reached the division commander with his message in time, he might be forewarned, and even profit by it. His own position would be less precarious, as the enemy already engaged in front would be unable to recover their position in the rear, and correct the blunder. The bulk of their column had already streamed past him. If defeated there was always the danger that it might be rolled back upon him—but he conjectured that the division commander would attempt to prevent the junction of the supports with the main column by breaking between them, crowding them from the ridge and joining him. As the last stragglers of the rear guard swept by Brant's bugles were already recalling the skirmishers. He redoubled his pickets, and resolved to watch and wait.

It was past midnight, when, without undressing, he threw himself upon his bed in the little convent-like cell to snatch a few moments of sleep. Its spotless, peaceful walls and draperies affected him strangely, as if he had brought into its immaculate serenity the sanguine strain of war. He was awakened suddenly from a deep slumber by an infinite sense of alarm. His first thought was that he had been summoned to repel an attack. He sat up and listened. Everything was silent except the measured tread of the sentry on the gravel walk below. But the door was open. He sprang to his feet and slipped into the gallery, in time to see the tall figure of a woman gliding before the last moonlit window at its furthest end. He could not see her face, but the characteristic turbaned head of the negro race was plainly visible.

He did not care to follow her, or even alarm the guard. If it were the spy or one of her emissaries, she was powerless now to do any harm, and under his late orders and the rigorous vigilance of his sentinels she could not leave the lines—or indeed the house. She probably knew this as well as he did; it was, therefore, no doubt, only an accidental intrusion of one of the servants. He reentered the room and stood for a few moments by the window, looking over the moonlit ridge. The sounds of distant cannon had long since ceased. Wide awake and refreshed by the keen morning air, which alone of all created things seemed to have shaken the burden of the dreadful yesterday from its dewy wings, he turned away and lit a candle on the table. As he was rebuckling his sword belt he saw a piece of paper lying on the [illegible]

[illegible] column you have been faithfully watching will be upon you. [illegible] would warn you, but [illegible]

For a moment he was transfixed. The handwriting was unknown, and evidently disguised. It was not the purport of the message that alarmed him, but the terrible suspicion that flashed upon him that it came from Miss Faulkner! She had failed in her attempt to get through the enemy's lines—or she had never tried to! She had deceived him, or she had thought better of her chivalrous impulse and now tried to mitigate her second treachery by this second warning, and he had let her messenger escape him!

He hurriedly descended the stairs. The sound of voices was approaching him. He halted and recognized the faces of the brigade surgeon and one of his aids-de-camp.

"We were hesitating whether to disturb you, general, but it may be an affair of some importance. Under your orders a negro woman was just now challenged stealing out of the lines. Attempting to escape, she was chased; there was a struggle and scramble over the wall, and she fell, striking her head. She was brought into the guard house unconscious."

"Very good! I will see her," said Brant, with a feeling of relief.

"One moment, general. We thought you would perhaps prefer to see her alone," said the surgeon. "For when I endeavored to bring her to and was sponging her face and head to discover her injuries her color came off! She was a white woman, stained and disguised as a mulatto."

For the face that lay there was his wife's.

For an instant Brant's heart sank. It was Miss Faulkner.

"Did you recognize her?" he said, glancing from the one to the other. "Had you seen her here before?"

"No, sir," replied the aid-de-camp. "But she seemed to be quite a superior woman—a lady, I should say."

Brant breathed more freely. "Where is she now?" he asked.

"In the guardhouse. We thought it better not to bring her into the hospital among the men, until we had your orders."

"You have done well," returned Brant gravely. "And you will keep this to yourselves for the present, but see that she is brought here quietly and with as little publicity as possible. Put her in my room above, which I give up to her, and any necessary attendant. But you will look carefully after her, doctor," he turned to the surgeon, "and when she recovers consciousness let me know."

He moved away. Although attaching little importance to the mysterious message—whether sent by Miss Faulkner or emanating from the stranger herself—which, he had reasoned, was based only upon a knowledge of the original plan of attack—he nevertheless quickly dispatched a small scouting party in the direction from which the attack might come, with orders to fall back and report at once. With a certain half irony of recollection he had selected Jim Hooker to accompany the party as a volunteer. This done he returned to the gallery. The surgeon met him at the door. [illegible]

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SMETHPORT, FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1896.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE.
[illegible] Joseph Wharton,
[illegible] Lyman D. Gilbert.
DISTRICT ELECTORS.
[illegible] Henry C. Prevost,
[illegible] C. R. [illegible],
[illegible] Frederick E. [illegible],
[illegible]
[illegible] Edward R. Abrams,
[illegible] William Scheer,
[illegible] Joseph O. Campbell.

FOR PRESIDENT,
WM. McKINLEY.

FOR CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE,
GALUSHA A. GROW,
SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT.

FOR CONGRESS,
HON. CHAS. W. STONE.

FOR STATE SENATOR,
HON. A. F. BANNON,
Subject to decision of Senatorial Conference.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,
HON. HERMAN H. NORTH,
HON. R. A. DEMPSEY.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
SHERIDAN GORTON.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, ETC.
GEO. W. MITCHELL.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. FRED DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WILLIAM A. YOUNG,
LEMUEL DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY AUDITORS,
J. C. CANNON, Jr.,
C. W. FREEMAN.

THE annual sale of beer has increased since 1875 from $8,300,000 to $[illegible],300,300.

Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge is going to try again for Congress in Kentucky. Probably he thinks the late Pollard unpleasantness is forgotten.—Elmira Advertiser. He imagines the statute of limitation has expired.

THOSE people whose matrimonial yoke has not fit properly, will be somewhat disappointed to learn that the President has signed a bill requiring a year's residence in any of the Territories before an application can be made for divorce.

THE Scientific American of last week gives a short article and an illustration of what is known as "Campbell's Cushion Pavement," which has recently been patented. This will without doubt become the most desirable pavement so far discovered.

A GOOD remedy to cure the free silverites, and one that would silence their guns along that line, would be for the bankers to establish a rule that when one of them presents a check to be cashed, would be to pay them off in the money they so much desire, silver. A person receiving $600, or $[illegible] in the white metal would receive a dose that would have a lasting effect upon their free silver ideas. It is all well enough to urge the free silver doctrine, but they do not like to take their own medicine.

THE following clipped from New Ideas will be of interest generally: No decision of the United States Supreme Court has attracted more attention than that delivered by Chief Justice Bradley exempting agents, canvassers, salesmen, etc., from all special state, county and town taxes. All such special license or tax laws are declared unconstitutional, and any law officer who attempts to enforce them is individually liable for damages. Agents will do well to go armed with a copy of this decision, and if molested, produce it and demand instant release.

WHILE in conversation with one of the most prominent farmers of the county recently, the question of sheep arose. On examining the census report of 1880, it was discovered that McKean county at that time had 14,[illegible] sheep. The gentleman above named said he was certain that there was not over 2,000 sheep in the county at the present time, and thought 1,000 would be nearer the mark. He further stated that the Wilson bill was the cause of this depreciation in sheep production and he further stated that any man whom the Democratic party would nominate for president ought not to receive one vote in the county unless it was now and then a pension seeker. This is how a prominent farmer looks at the situation.

THE present convention held at St. Louis will undoubtedly be the last the Republican party will ever hold in that city. The treatment that the colored delegates have received at the hands of the hotel men should forever bar that city from being honored again in a like manner. These delegates were members of the greatest party of the greatest nation on earth, and they are entitled to respectable treatment. Any city that will solicit a party and offer inducements for said party to hold its national convention within its walls, and then deliberately refuse to furnish entertainment for its delegates, is too contemptibly low for any one whatever. [illegible] the Republican National Committee will never listen to the inducements offered by representatives from St. Louis again.

—Below will be found something relating to the wearing of hats by ladies during a performance, in theatres: "The [illegible] that is, if a man buys a certain seat in a theatre there is an implied contract with the manager that he will have an unobstructed view of the stage. If he [illegible] get it on account of a hat or any other object being between him and the stage the manager is responsible in damages. If this remedy was enforced in a few instances theatres would soon have a rule requiring the removal of objectionable hats."—Ex.

A certain bachelor editor of a northern [illegible] is a predicament as we ex[illegible] ... of a certain ... has to apologize ... bending

M'KINLEY'S THE MAN!

The Napoleon of Protection the Unanimous Choice of the Convention.

GARRET HOBART FOR VICE

They Stand on a Sound Money Platform—This was a Convention of the People—Protection the Battle Cry.

ST. LOUIS, June 18.—Just before 5 this evening Major Wm. McKinley was nominated for the highest office within the gift of the people. Wire pullers and politicians could not prevent the result. It was a foregone conclusion.

The States voted in alphabetical order and before Pennsylvania's vote was reached McKinley had more than enough votes to nominate. Then it was a regular stampede.

At 7:30 Garret A. Hobart of New Jersey was nominated for Vice President and the great question of whom should be the Republican standard-bearers was settled.

That they are the people's choice there is no question. That they will be elected by an overwhelming majority not even a free silverite or Democrat can doubt.

When McKinley and Hobart go before the people in their straight forward manner, their battle cry—Patriotism, Protection, Reciprocity and Sound Money, they will draw all men to Republicanism in spite of all opposition.

The convention was ajourned at 7:37.

CLERMONT.

Messrs. Boyd & South are erecting a new pool room.

The new railroad expects to run excursions from Clermont to St. Marys and return on July 2, 3 and 4.

J. F. Keating was in town over Sunday with his family.

James Mahoney, the mining boss, has purchased a new bike.

There will be a basket social and dance held at the opera house June 20, for the benefit of the Catholic church.

The Clermont base ball team has ordered new suits and are anxious to meet some good local team.

Miss Anna Gaynor is attending the teachers' summer school at Smethport.

There is no clue to the robbery that occurred here at the City tailor shop on Thursday night last.

Mr. Frank Reed has opened a new grocery store. Success Frank.

Frank Burdick is assisting his uncle A. S. Burdick in the City meat market.

Some of our young people spent Sunday last in Smethport.

Conductor Edwards and crew of the gravel train made a flying trip to Buffalo and return last week.

HOT STUFF.

ANNIN CREEK.

C. H. Holcomb was in Rixford Saturday.

Wesley Kinney was in Port Allegany Saturday.

Milo Evans went to Port Allegany Monday.

George Wood went to Portville one day last week.

E. B. Buckley was over to Horse Run one day last week.

Frank Holcomb, of Frankhaville, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in this place.

G. O. Buckley and wife, of Olean, have been visiting Mrs. Caroline Evans recently.

Fred Buckley and wife, of Olean, paid a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hodges, Saturday. They rode their wheels.

Ed Davis and wife were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emery Edgett, of Bradford, Saturday.

Mrs. James Hanon, of Olean, is visiting in this place at present.

Mrs. Harvey Bruce, of Duke Centre, has been visiting in this place.

The ice cream social which was held at H. C. June's Wednesday evening was a grand success. The proceeds amounted to $26.

Charles Hodges and Arch Holcomb were over from Rixford Sunday.

John Dewel and wife of Turtle Point, and Charles Dewel and wife of Rixford, were present at the Children's Day exercises.

Miss Kate Wood, of Lewis Run and Miss Fannie O'Connel, of Rock Run made Mrs. F. K. Winship and her daughters May and Ry, a brief call Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Simpson, Misses Mollie and Jennie and Pitt Simpson, of Turtle Point were among those who attended the social.

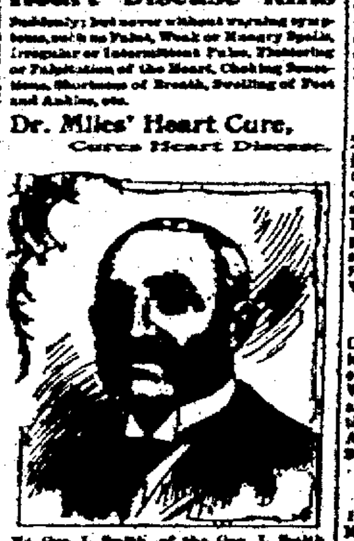
Mrs. John Abson, of Coudersport was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Holcomb over Sunday.

Eczema is a frightful affliction, but like all other skin diseases it can be permanently cured by applications of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It never fails to cure piles. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, and A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

Heart Disease Kills

Suddenly; but never without warning symptoms, such as Faint, Weak or Hungry Spells, Irregular or Intermittent Pulse, Fluttering or Palpitation of the Heart, Choking Sensations, Shortness of Breath, Swelling of Feet and Ankles, etc.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure,
Cures Heart Disease.



Mr. Geo. L. Smith, of the Geo. L. Smith Mantel Co., Louisville, Ky., writes Feb. 26, 1894: "For about a year I was a terrible sufferer from heart trouble, which got so bad I was obliged to sit up in bed to get my breath. I had to abandon business and ... My friend, Mr. ... pharmacist ...

An Ordinance,

PROHIBITING THE PLACING OF THE ... AND PUBLISHING ... IN THE ... OF ADVERTISEMENT, BY PAINTING, MARKING, TACKING OR FASTENING ANY NOTICE OR POSTER ... ON STREETS ... ANY TREE, TELEGRAPH OR TELEPHONE POLE AND PROVIDING FOR THE PENALTY AND PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF THE SAME.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pa., and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same that from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to mark, paint, tack or fasten in any manner, any kind of advertisement, bill or notice, upon or to any fence, house or construction to any telegraph or telephone pole in said borough. And any person or persons violating this ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the use of the borough the sum of two dollars, to be collected on conviction of such offence before the Burgess or any Justice of the Peace, as like amounts are collectable in an action of trespass.

Passed June 1, 1896.
Attest: FRANK KEANE,
A. T. PALMER, Pres. of Council.
Secretary.
Approved June 2, 1896.
P. D. HOPKINS, Burgess.
23-24

Notice to Contractors.

THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF NORWICH township will receive bids up to 1 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, June 24, for the building of a two-story school building at Colegrove, to be completed on or before the 20th day of August next. Plans and specifications will be shown by the Secretary or can be seen at the store of C. A. Anderson. Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

E. L. OLMSTEAD, Pres.
N. C. GALLUP, Sec'y. 23-24

Notice of Desertion.

My wife, Mrs. Kate L. Appleby, having left my bed and board without just cause, I hereby warn all persons from trusting her on my account. Signed this 11th day of June, A. D. 1896.

E. L. APPLEBY,
23-24 Bradford, Pa.

To-Morrow's Game.

As a prelude to the benefit ball game to-morrow the treasurer has sent in the following report for publication:

CASH RECEIVED.		
Subscription,	$ 113 30	
Management,	300 00	
Receipts of 7 games played,	158 75	572 13
CASH PAID OUT.		
E. I. & G. M. Keen, acc't suits,	$ 157 10	
Work on grounds and fence,	24 00	
Paid on last years indebtedness,	42 74	
Paid visiting teams,	198 50	
Paid players,	34 66	
Paid out hotel, livery, bats, balls, &c.,	44 80	
	423 87	
Unpaid bills,	125 74	329 13
Unpaid Subscriptions, $1.50.		
Balance unprovided for		$ 119 35

A BIG VICTORY.

Truth Soap is Awarded a Government Contract.

Among the many flourishing manufacturing institutions located in Warren is one that has been attracting much attention in other parts of the country and very recently acquired almost national reputation. The Truth Soap company is composed of thoroughly practical business men, and the high standard and excellence of the goods manufactured is best attested by the fact that last week, in competition with over one hundred and fifty other manufacturers of soap east of Des Moines, Ia., experts for the United States government accepted the bid for over 10,000 boxes. The price named was next to the highest bid submitted, but owing to the exceptional quality of the goods as determined by all the tests, Truth had the preference.

The managers and members of the company are to be congratulated for several reasons. It brings their soap prominently and permanently before the country as a superior article. It materially increases and stimulates an already prosperous and growing business and Warren, Pa., should, and very property does, take great pride in such an institution.

THIS MEANS YOU.

Do you own horses or cattle? Fulmer's Veterinary Medicines for horses and cattle are warranted to substantiate each claim made for them. Your dealer is authorized to refund the money in every instance of failure to effect a cure of any disease specified on our labels, if used according to directions. You don't risk a cent by a trial. What more can you ask?

FULMER'S COLIC CURE.

This preparation is offered to the public as a portable, harmless, yet certain substitute for the old-fashioned bulky remedies heretofore employed in the treatment of that most dangerous disease COLIC. A syringe for administering the dose accompanies each bottle, and the whole package is so compact that it can be readily carried in the pocket. The price at which it is sold is much lower than any other colic cures on the market, thus reducing the actual cost of curing a case of colic to five or ten cents. The dose is only thirty drops, given without diluting.

You can't fool with colic, nor waste time bonding up medicines. Veterinaries can't always be found when wanted, nor are drug stores always open. Fulmer's colic cure is all the veterinary or drug store you need. It should be kept in the stable ready for use.

There is more fatality among horses from colic than from any other cause. Unless some immediate relief is afforded the chances for recovery are slight. Inflammation sets in, resulting almost inevitably in death. Fulmer's colic cure never fails to cure Spasmodic, Flatulent Colic, or Stoppage of the Water, if treatment is begun within one hour of the first attack. It has often cured where no relief has been given for hours. Fulmer's colic cure avoids delays. Delays mean dead horses. Horses cost money. A concise manual describing the symptoms of the ordinary diseases to which the horse is subject, together with the simple method of treating the same. Mailed to any address on receipt of two-cent stamp.

All of Fulmer's medicines are for sale by A. T. Palmer at his livery, feed and sale stable, Smethport, Pa.

A. O. U. W. Excursion to Niagra.

A more delightful outing than a trip to Niagra on a beautiful June day would be hard to find. The W. N. Y. & P. Ry., will run an excursion Friday June 19th, on account of the A. O. U. W. Field Day, which takes place at Niagara on that date, at which a great gathering of officers, delegates and members from all parts of the U. S. will be present. The meeting takes place in Prospect Park. Train will leave Smethport at 9:12 a. m., arriving at Buffalo 12:50 p. m., Niagara Falls, 1:30 p. m. Fare $2.25. Tickets good for return passage on all regular trains Saturday June 20. Go and take a trip on the Gorge Railway from Niagara Falls to Lewiston. It will prove a great treat. Tickets will be sold at reduced rates for this trip on the excursion train.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure. This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Druggist, Smethport, Pa.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits, 75 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong Druggist, Smethport.

Young mothers dread the summer months on account of the great mortality among children caused by bowel troubles. Perfect safety may be assured by those who keep on hand DeWitt's Colic & Cholera cure, and administer it promptly. For cramps, bilious colic, dysentery and diarrhoea, it affords instant relief. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, and A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

A Famous German Doctor's Work.

Consumption is now known to be curable if taken in time—the German remedy [illegible] found to be an almost certain cure for the disease. Asthma, bronchitis, croup, coughs, colds, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases are quickly cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Remedy. Sample bottles of Otto's Cure are being given away by our agents A. W. Colegrove, Smethport; C. M. Benson, Colegrove; S. W. Stickney, Newerf.

A. L. Wooster, a prominent citizen of Omeo, Mich., after suffering excruciatingly from piles, for twenty years, was cured in a short time by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, an absolute cure, for all skin diseases. More of this preparation is used than all others combined. A. W. Colegrove, Smethport, and A. E. Stickles, East Smethport.

A Great Medicine Given Away.

A. W. Colegrove, Smethport; C. M. Benson, Colegrove; S. W. Stickney, Newerf, are now giving free to all a trial package of the great herbal remedy, Bacon's Celery King. If ladies suffering from nervous disorders and constipation will use this remedy they will soon be free from the headaches and backaches that have caused them so much suffering. It is a perfect regulator. It quickly cures biliousness, indigestion, eruptions of the skin and all blood diseases.

... Young, Middleburg, Ia. ... One Minute Cough ... myself and ...

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN APpointed Administrator of the estate of John Albert, late of Keating township, McKean county, Pa., deceased, hereby requests all persons having claims and demands against the estate aforesaid to make known the same to him without delay.

HENRY HAMLIN,
Administrator.
Smethport, Pa., May 13, 1896.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mrs. Louise Bengtson, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT LETters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Louise Bengtson, late of Ludlow, McKean county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the register of said county, to J. O. Olen, of Ludlow, McKean county, Pennsylvania. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment and all persons having claims against said estate will at once present the same.

J. O. OLEN.
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License Transfer Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean county at Smethport, on Tuesday the twenty-third day of June, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. to transfer the retail liquor license granted May 11, 1896, to William L. Foster, to sell liquor, etc. at the Foster House, in the village of Lewis Run, in the township of Lafayette, north side of public highway. The name of the person to whom said license is proposed to be transferred is Thomas Moran, now residing in Olean N. Y. Occupation, hotel keeper.

BOUTON & GALLUP
Att'ys for Petitioner.
Smethport, Pa. June 1 1896. 23-24

License Transfer Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean county at Smethport, on Tuesday the twenty third day of June, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. to transfer the eating house (liquor) license granted May 15, 1896, to John F. Keating, to sell malt and brewed liquors, etc. at retail at the Chadwick House, at Larabee, in the township of Eldred, on the main road leading from Smethport to Eldred. The name of the person to whom said license is proposed to be transferred is Chas. Adams, residing at Newerf, Norwich township, McKean county, Pennsylvania. Occupation, boarding house keeper.

BOUTON & GALLUP
Att'ys for Petitioner.
Smethport, Pa. June 1 1896. 23-24

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF KEATING School District for Year 1895-6.

M. C. Stickles, in account with Keating township as School Treasurer, from 1st Monday of June, 1895, to 1st Monday of June, 1896.

	Dr.	
To cash of A. Smith, col.,	$2307 00	
" " by draft from state	2468 35	
" " of County Treasurer,	2150 00	
" " from insurance,	255 00	
" " sale of supplies	[illegible]	[illegible] 25
	Cr.	
By vouchers audited	7367 44	
" com on $7367.44 at 2 per cent	131 75	
" balance due Keating school district	[illegible]	[illegible] 25

Statement of the school funds of Keating township for the year ending the first Monday of June, 1896.

	Dr.	
To amt of orders outstanding	$ 20 40	
To balance due school fund	1[illegible]	1[illegible] 47
	Cr.	
By amount of taxes in county treasurer's office	410 00	
By amount of cash in hands M. C. Stickles, school treas.	[illegible]	1[illegible] 47

We, the auditors of Keating Township, having examined the accounts and vouchers of M. C. Stickles, School Treasurer of said township, from 1st Monday of June, 1895, to 1st Monday of June, 1896, in account with school fund, do find them as above stated.

Witness our hands this 8th day of June, 1896.

D. J. STULL } Auditors.
S. H. FRAZEE, }
Attest, M. N. ALLEN, Clerk. 23-24

Proposals for Bids.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVed by the Sergeant school board until 2 o'clock p. m., June 21, 1896 for the building of a school house in said township to be completed on or before the 11th day of August, 1896. For specifications, etc., apply to the undersigned or secretary of school board.

By order of the board,
L. STEINHAUR, PAT MALONEY,
Secy. Pres.
Clermont, Pa., June 2, 1896.

Notice to Contractors.

THE SMETHPORT WATER COMPANY will let to the lowest responsible bidder a contract for trenching and refilling a trench on Hank street from a point near Barlos McKean's to a point near Nelson street, also on Cemetery street, from Mechanic street to a point near Wm. Hanser's, also on Center street, from a point near the Forsyth property to a point near Lewis Hamer's. Plans and specifications made known at the office of the company. Contract to be declared Saturday, June 13, 1896, at five o'clock p. m.

Right to reject any and all bids reserved.
A. B. ARMSTRONG, Treasurer.
Smethport, Pa., June 1, 1896.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LIBERTY Township School District for the fiscal year ending June 1st, 1896.

Whole number of schools, 14.
Number of teachers employed, 14.
Number of pupils enrolled in all the schools, 4[illegible]
Average daily attendance, [illegible].
Amount taxes levied for school purposes, $[illegible] 97

TREAS'R'S ACC'T—MONEY RECEIVED.		
Balance on hand from last year,	$ 351 73	
Received from State appropriation,	1[illegible]	
From Collector, including taxes of all kinds,	1[illegible]	
From County Treasurer, unseated lands, fees, &c.,	[illegible]	
Tuition,	[illegible]	[illegible]
TREAS'R'S ACC'T—MONEY PAID OUT.		
For purchasing grounds,	$ 100 00	
Furnishing,	[illegible]	
For teacher's wages,	[illegible]	
For rent and repairs,	[illegible]	
For fuel and contingencies,	[illegible]	
Fees of Collector,	[illegible]	
Fees of Treasurer,	[illegible]	
Salary of secretary, expenses, stationery, postage, &c.,	[illegible]	
For printing and auditor's fees,	[illegible]	
For school books,	[illegible]	
For school supplies,	[illegible]	
For all other purposes and sundry expenses,	[illegible]	[illegible]
RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.		
Cash on hand,		$ [illegible]
Amount due district, taxes,		[illegible]

D. M. WRIGHT, }
CALVIN PETTETS, } Auditors.
NICHOLAS BAKER, }

The above account has been duly audited by the auditors of this district, and certified by them to be correct.

A. L. HOLDEN, D. M. MARTINO,
Secretary. President.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SMETHPORT SCHOOL.

E. G. Mayo, Treasurer, in account with Smethport Boro School and Bond Fund.

	Dr.	
To bal last auditors' report,	$ [illegible]	
To amount from Collector, school tax,	[illegible]	
To amount from Collector, bond tax,	[illegible]	
State appropriation,	[illegible]	
Tuition,	[illegible]	
Book damage,	1 64	
Total,	[illegible]	
	Cr.	
By paid bond and interest,	$ [illegible]	
" " orders, repairs,	[illegible]	
" " teachers' wages,	[illegible]	
" " Text Books,	[illegible]	
" " supplies,	[illegible]	
" " fuel and contingencies,	[illegible]	
" " Secretary's salary,	[illegible]	
" " Treasurer's commission,	[illegible]	
Balance due the fund,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	

J. C. Gallup, Collector, in account with Smethport boro school fund.

	Dr.	
To bal from last auditors' report,	$ [illegible]	
To additional 5 per cent,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	
	Cr.	
By cash to treasurer,	$ [illegible]	
By Collector's commission,	[illegible]	
By exonerations,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	
To duplicate 1895-6,	Dr.	$ [illegible]
By cash to treasurer,		$ [illegible]
By 2 per ct. to taxpayers on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By 2 per ct. collector's commission on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By 5 per ct. collector's commission on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By exonerations,		[illegible]
By bal of duplicate in hands of Collector,		[illegible]
Total,		[illegible]

J. C. Gallup, Collector, in account with Smethport Boro School Bond Fund.

	Dr.	
To bal last auditors' report,	$ [illegible]	
To 5 per ct. additional,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	
	Cr.	
By cash to Treasurer,	$ [illegible]	
By Collector's commission,	[illegible]	
By exonerations,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	
To duplicate 1895-6,	Dr.	$ [illegible]
	Cr.	
By 2 per ct. to taxpayers on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By 2 per ct. Collector's commission on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By cash to Treasurer,		[illegible]
By 5 per ct. Collector's commission on $[illegible],		[illegible]
By exonerations,		[illegible]
By bal duplicate in hands of Col Gallup,		[illegible]
Total,		[illegible]
RESOURCES.		
Due from Treas. Mayo, school fund,	$ [illegible]	
Due from Col. Gallup, school fund,	[illegible]	
Due from Col. Gallup, bond fund,	[illegible]	
Total,	[illegible]	

And now, June [illegible], 1896, having examined ... the above named treasurer and ... [illegible] ... Auditors.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in its results." Trial bottles free at A. W. Colegrove's and A. B. Armstrong & Co.'s drug stores. Regular size 50c and $1.00.

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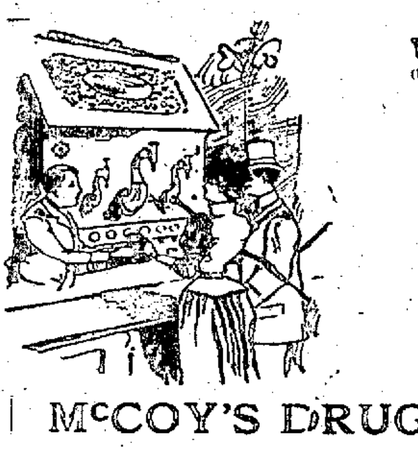

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Change of time table of the Pennsylvania [illegible] in another column.

Miss Jenette Hamlin received a fine new Columbia bicycle on Monday.

M. N. Allen of East Smethport cut his foot quite severely with an axe last Friday.

The races at Bradford this year promise to be better than ever. Do not miss them.

Last Sunday's excursion to the Kinzua bridge attracted large crowds who desired to see the wonderful structure.

—When you visit the races at Bradford next week you will be able to give your best girl a ride on the new electric cars out Congress street.

A. W. Colegrove has purchased a new horse which appears to be quite speedy. Smethport can well afford to boast of its fine horses.

The Monthly Musical Gem for June is a gem indeed. All musicians should secure a copy in order to enjoy the rich treat in store for them.

The Episcopal parsonage on the corner of King and Fulton streets is being beautified by several coats of paint. Koenig is doing the job.

Prof. Rich, the scientific [illegible] blacksmith, who was here a short time ago, has permanently located at Bradford opposite the Henderson House.

Gardner Callen is engaged in moving a rig belonging to the South Penn Oil Co. from Irons Hollow to [illegible] Hollow where a well will soon be put down.

The Miner is pleased to acknowledge the receipt of "The Annual Report of The Secretary of Internal Affairs" from Isaac B. Brown, who will please accept our thanks for the same.

—Frederick Kreiner, a well known citizen of Bradford, died at his home in that place last Friday of consumption, aged 39 years. The funeral was held Monday. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery.

—And now some one rises to remark: "If Rider Haggard had been Lew Wallace, what would 'She' have been? Doubtless, a new woman with a hard face."—Herald. "She" might have "Ben Hur."

—Ben Crandall is home from Bradford nursing a broken arm. On Tuesday, June 9th, while engaged in painting a house in the latter place he fell from a ladder sustaining a fracture of the left arm below the elbow.

—The rainfall early Tuesday morning was the heaviest of the season. It commenced to rain at 2:05, and at 2:40 it was all over. During that time 87-100 of an inch of rain fell, accompanied by sharp thunder and lightning.

—Hoard's Dairyman and the McKean County Miner for $2.00 per annum. No dairyman can afford to go without this valuable journal. Send in your subscription at once and take advantage of the most modern advancement in dairying.

—Through the kindness of J. A. Woodward, of Howard, the Miner received the program of the commencement exercises of the State College of Agriculture, which commenced last Sunday the 14 and continued until the 17th, also a cordial invitation to attend the same.

—Better roads seem to be the order of the day at present. The Port Allegany Reporter of last week contained a communication from one of its subscribers that has the proper ring. It is very gratifying to see how thoroughly the people are awakening to the question of better roads. Keep the question agitated, the more the better.

—Six young boys, the oldest being only 14 years of age, were arrested last Friday afternoon on the charge of burning buildings and causing several fires that have been [illegible] to the Olean [illegible] for some time. Chief of Police Hart finally got on the right trail and John Walsh, Charles Duffy, Charles [illegible], Charles [illegible], John [illegible] and Fred O'Dell, were arrested. Tommy Walsh made a confession before the justice.

—The adv. of Ford's Red Front at Olean is changed again this week. As usual he is up-to-date in the clothing line.

—Burt, a fourteen-year-old son of John Oviatt, of East Smethport, had his collar bone and right shoulder broken at Farmers Valley last Friday. He was unhitching a horse when the animal kicked him injuring him as stated above. Dr. Clark attended to the boy's injuries.

—Dan Dwyer, the well known liveryman formerly of this place, will soon take charge of the stable in connection with the Henderson House at Bradford. Landlord Brennan is to be congratulated on securing so competent a man as Dan to look out for that branch of his establishment.

—Charles McKean has a curiosity in the shape of a pear tree which was covered with blossoms in April and now has a crop of pears of fair size. Last week it started on a new line by blowing out again. The tree attracted a great deal of attention. John Forrest has a tree that is doing its best to follow the example set by the one first mentioned.

—The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Ry. will run one of their popular excursions to Buffalo and Niagara Falls next Tuesday, June 23. Excursionists can leave Niagara by any regular train of the New York Central until Saturday, June 27 inclusive, and from Buffalo on regular trains of the B. R. & P. on or before Thursday, July 3. Train leaves Bradford at 5:30 p. m. Fare for round trip $2.50.

The McKean Miner came to Clarion last week in a changed form and with a new head on. It had not been on a bust by any means, but the patronage extended to that most excellent paper necessitated the change. The Miner is prosperous and progressive and we rejoice that its usefulness is appreciated as it deserves.—Clarion Republican. Gentlemen, consider our hat in the air making our best bow.

A great improvement in that old reliable and prosperous newspaper, the Smethport Miner, is a change from eight pages to four, making it the size and shape of the Mail. Eight pages is more citified, but for a country weekly four pages is more convenient for readers and better for the advertiser. Its editor, Burt [illegible], is now sole owner and we are glad to note his prosperity.—Warren Mail. Thanks, brother Cowen.

Rev. J. W. Sanborn last Sunday morning announced that on his return from Syracuse he stopped at Clifton Springs and called upon Rev. Helms, of beloved memory here and was pleased to learn that Mr. Helms was gradually improving and that his physicians were firm in their belief that the reverend gentleman would soon be fully recovered, which is very gratifying news to his many warm friends here and elsewhere.

—J. W. Stroup of Kinzua and Henry Sanders of Farmers Valley were in town last Saturday. They are engaged in drilling the [illegible] well on Cole creek. Mr. Stroup is the gentleman who struck the lucky oil hole at Kinzua which has caused that section to boom so much lately. It is to be hoped that his proverbial luck will follow him this time and success crown his efforts in behalf of the gentlemen who are conducting this venture.

—A fiend in human shape by the name of W. Tylee, of Bradford, last Saturday attempted to outrage a little six year old daughter of J. F. Rimer. Tylee persuaded the little one to accompany him on the promise of receiving some candy. He took her to the woods outside of the city. The child's cries attracted the attention of a couple of boys who gave the alarm and the monster was followed to his hiding place and arrested. Tylee was brought before Mayor [illegible] and locked up in default of $1,000 bail.

—Thursday evening June 25th the members of the Swedish Free Christian church will give a grand sacred concert at their church on Lake street. Prof. [illegible] of Chicago, Ill., a gentleman of rare vocal and musical ability and Mrs. [illegible], leader of the Swedish choir at Jamestown, N. Y., will be present and a rare treat in all sacred music is assured. This is the first time this society ever gave an entertainment, and the well known musical attainments of the Swedish people should secure a good attendance.

It is passing strange how people long to be humbugged. There was a fakir on our streets last Saturday night that resembled a tramp more than anything else, offering medicines for sale warranted to cure all ills flesh is subject to, all for the price of one dollar—other times it would be two dollars. Yet this oily [illegible] good deceiver in the space of half an hour sold ten bottles of mixture that probably cost him about 25 cents, for one dollar a bottle to men who work hard for their money. Barnum was right when he said the American people were anxious to be humbugged.

The following teachers were selected by the school board for the ensuing year: W. J. Eckels, Principal; Misses Bessie Shank, Genevieve Stevenson, Miss Belle Hibbard, Rose Allen and Mary J. [illegible]. Miss Stevenson, who takes Miss Roberts' classes, taught in Kane during the last term. Miss Hibble taught in Bradford last term and will assume the classes of Miss Burch. Both the new teachers come highly recommended. Our school board are to be congratulated on their careful selection. The school in this section will start out under brighter auspices. The students should be delighted at the bright prospects before them.

—From last Saturday's Bradford Star we clip the following in reference to Leo Chadwick, a former well known citizen of this place. Leo Chadwick, a well known printer, had his jaw broken by being kicked by a vicious horse at the Rochester Hotel barn this afternoon. Chadwick was in the barn looking for a horse. He approached the horse which belongs to a farmer. The hostler warned him to keep away from the beast, but it was too late. Chadwick laid his hand on the horse and the animal let go both hind feet, one hoof striking Chadwick on the chin, the other striking him on the leg, bruising it badly. Chadwick's injuries are considered serious.

—Last Friday morning A. E. Stickels, of East Smethport, had his advertising wagon in town, on which was displayed an immense load of goods. To this wagon he had 13 express wagons attached, the whole making a long train. When near Holmes & Gilfillan's lumber yard some one threw stones over a lumber pile nearly striking Mr. Stickels. While returning some boys playing in the lot opposite Mr. Gorton's house also commenced to throw stones. Mr. Stickles knows who the latter are, and he assures us that if it ever happens again he will have them arrested. It is a disgrace to our town that we have such boys in it, and if parents do not correct their children by simple means, they cannot blame strangers for punishing them in a more forcible manner. The stones which these boys threw broke a wheel in one of the wagons, and were it not for the good nature of Mr. Stickels, who will do anything to avoid trouble, they might find it quite [illegible].

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL.

Sanford Fry went to Buffalo Tuesday.

F. G. Lindholm visited Olean last Friday.

John Reilly went to Preston Vale Monday.

Mrs. Carrie Reilly visited Buffalo this week.

Art Mitchell will return from De Veaux Sunday.

Robert L. Edgell was over from Bradford Tuesday.

Paul Johnson, of Harrisburg, was in town Wednesday.

Judge Morrison and wife departed for Buffalo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Gorton went to Buffalo Tuesday.

Atty. F. L. Keenan transacted business in Bradford Monday.

Frank Thompson of Mt. Jewett, was in town Sunday last.

Thomas McKean of Wilcox, was in town the first of the week.

Comrade Pierce visited Potter county's capital Wednesday.

J. W. Benton and Dr. H. L. McCoy visited Buffalo Tuesday.

Claud LeFever and Ray Walters drove to Ormsby Sunday last.

Miss Emma Hering arrived home from Jamestown yesterday.

Judge and G. R. Brownell drove to Port Allegany last Saturday.

Ned and Jerry Newman came home from school Wednesday night.

Jacob Hafner of Clermont was greeting friends in town yesterday.

F. H. Chase of the Star visited his parents at Eldred last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Specht and children visited Buffalo last Saturday.

Supt. T. H. Ryan was at Emporium and Kane Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edna Lewis, of Buffalo, visited friends in town during the week.

N. C. Gallup, of Norwich was a pleasant caller at this office last Tuesday.

J. F. Schoonmaker of the Olean Music Co. was in town the first of the week.

Mark Hardie Jr. of Mt. [illegible]ton was greeting his many friends in town Wednesday.

W. H. Dodd and J. W. King of Eldred were in town Monday on route for Ormsby.

William Wilkins, of Kanesholm, was greeting his many friends in town Tuesday.

W. F. Ormsby of Buffalo was a guest at the Bennett House the first of the week.

Mrs. Hewitt of Rochester is visiting her daughter Mrs. F. J. Holmes, of this place.

Edward Ryan who has been attending the law school at Carlisle returned home Monday.

David Russell and Miss Mary Sallye of Clermont were married in Olean last Monday.

A. & M. Allgeier of Colegrove was cordially greeting among his many friends last Monday.

Miss Bessie Creely of East Smethport is home from an extended visit at Johnsonburg.

Editor Lindsey visited Bradford Sunday and read over one of John Brennan's memorials.

Julius Hornlein went to Larrabee Tuesday to finish painting Keating school [illegible] at place.

Sheriff Walker and wife went to Bradford yesterday to attend the funeral of Charles E. Parsons.

Mrs. A. J. Laley and little son, Bert, of Bradford visited N. H. Knapp and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Clark of Bradford drove over Monday returning home Tuesday.

C. W. Campbell the prominent lumberman of Kane passed through here Wednesday morning.

Dr. F. C. Pierce, Sherid and Rex Corton biked to Kane last Saturday to witness the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brennan, of Mt. Jewett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brennan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coleman and son Lawrence of Port Allegany are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Mary Neenan, of Emporium was the guest of her friend Miss Anna Kadosky Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Davenport, of East Randolph arrived Tuesday and has been visiting her son W. H. Morrison.

Mrs. Holmes, wife and children, of Eldred, spent Sunday in town as guests of F. F. Hafner and family.

Miss Mae Stewart of Ridgway arrived last Thursday night to commence a musical course with Lew Wilson.

Miss Carrie A. Smith came over from Bradford and visited friends in town over Sunday, returning Monday.

J. K. Hawley who is reading law with F. E. Richmond visited his home last week returning to his studies Monday.

Miss Anna Gaynor of Clermont and Miss Winnifred Peabody of Bradford, were pleasant callers at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. S. C. Bush gave a pleasant tea in honor of her niece, Miss Mae Stewart, of Ridgway last Tuesday night.

Miss Myrtle Cobart, who has been attending St. Margaret's school at Buffalo, returned home last Thursday night.

Mrs. C. J. Thomas who has been the guest of her parents for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Bradford today.

Misses Lucy and Elsie Wright returned home from Erie last Wednesday where they have been attending the Normal school.

Roy Gifford, a well known lad last Friday on his way [illegible]. Roy is a student at Case's School of Applied Science.

Hayes Heath, of Lock Haven, came up Monday morning to visit his brother Elmer. Mr. Heath has been in Lock Haven during the past winter.

Rev. J. W. Sanborn wheeled all the way home from Syracuse last week and reports the roads in fine condition and the scenery along the route grand.

Sam Molson, of Kansas City, an artist of the razor is now located with Alfred Ward. Those who have tried his skill say that as a barber he is fine.

W. F. Dunage was down from Hazelhurst last week and purchased a load of window and door frames of Holmes & Gilfillan for his new residence.

Sidney Finn, of Friendship, passed through this place on his bicycle Wednesday en route to Glen Hazel. On his return he will make Smethport a visit as the guest of Sheridan Gorton, Jr.

F. H. Farquharson, of Bradford who is manager of the telephone system here was a pleasant caller Wednesday. He formerly resided here and was a telegraph operator with M. L. Armstrong.

Miss Emma McFadden, of Cambridge Boro, was a guest of Miss Maud Davis last week. On Sunday last she left for her home accompanied by Miss Maud, who will spend the summer in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mitchell and daughter Lucy went to Bradford this week. They leave that place to day for Suspension Bridge, N. Y., to attend the commencement exercises of De Veaux college.

Foster Stadholm returned from Hamilton, Canada, last Saturday accompanied by his brother, Gordon, of the above named place, who will remain here for a week's visit. Mr. Stadholm is very much impressed with the delightful scenery and the beauties of our town.

10 to 2.

Smethport still keeps it up. Saturday the boys went up the mountain to Kane and downed the team at that place by a score of 10 to 2. These teams have each defeated the other twice and the next game between them is something to look forward to. In Saturday's game Smethport had Kane shut out until the sixth inning then our boys suddenly had a relapse and when they recovered in the eighth inning the Kaneites had scored nine unearned runs. The following summary tells how it happened:

SUMMARY

SMETHPORT	Pos	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
Tull	1 f	4	2	3	1	0	0
Keefer	1 b	4	2	3	4	0	1
Bell	s s	4	3	1	0	[illegible]	1
Fuller	p & 3b	[illegible]	1	3	4	2	[illegible]
Dodge	3b & p	4	1	[illegible]	1	2	[illegible]
Pierce	2b	4	0	4	[illegible]	0	[illegible]
Young	c	3	1	0	7	0	0
[illegible]	r f	4	0	1	2	0	0
Morrison	c f	3	1	0	4	1	[illegible]
Totals		35	10	11	26*	12	[illegible]

*Gulliver out by batted ball.

KANE	Pos	A B	R	H	P O	A	E
[illegible]	c f	4	1	1	1	1	1
[illegible]	3b	4	1	2	0	1	1
[illegible]	c	4	1	1	6	0	0
Tracy	2b	4	1	1	2	2	[illegible]
Evans	1b	3	0	0	11	0	1
[illegible]	s s	3	0	1	3	3	0
Long	r f	3	1	0	1	0	0
[illegible]	l f	1	1	1	2	0	1
Gulliver	p	3	1	0	0	3	0
Totals		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	25*	10	[illegible]

*None out when winning run was made.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
S'PORT	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10	11	[illegible]
KANE	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Earned runs—Smethport 4.
Two base hits—Keefer, Fuller 2, Dodge.
Struck out—by Fuller 3, Dodge 2, Gulliver 4.
Base on balls—off Fuller 1, Dodge 1, Gulliver 2.
Hit by pitcher—by Fuller 2, Gulliver 2.
Stolen bases—Tull, Keefer 3, Bell 2, Fuller [illegible].
Double plays—Morrison to Keefer. Bell to Fuller to Keefer.

Bicycle Races.

The Warren cycle club, assisted by the Warren Protective Cycle club, will give a two days race meet on the new one-third mile track recently built at Recreation Park, Warren, Pa., on July 3 and 4. There is a prize list for 13 races which required an expenditure of $650, consequently the winners of the events will get something worthy the effort usually made in a race. On the evening of July 3 there will be given a series of three races. The track has been equipped with arc lights and the night races will no doubt prove a novelty. H. P. Hall, Warren, Pa., can be addressed for entry blanks and information.

School Report.

The following is the report as to the school district and the school district and the school in each district having the best record as to the regularity and promptness of attendance during the past year exclusive of the first month. Port Allegany had the best record in both regularity and promptness. As to regularity the school which stood best in each township or boro is as follows:

Town	School
Annin township	Lower Annin Creek
Bradford	Custer City
Ceres	Myrtle
Corydon	Moota Ross
Eldred Boro	High School
Eldred	State Line Mills
Foster	Derrick City
Hamilton	White Gravel
Hamlin	Kushequa
Kane	High School
Keating	Coleville
Lafayette	Alton Primary
Liberty	Lower Coleman
Mt. Jewett	High School
Norwich	Crosby
Otto	Summit City
Port Allegany	High School
Sergeant	Burning Well
Smethport	High School
Wetmore	West Kane

As to promptness in attendance the school which stood best in each township was as follows:

Annin	Newell Creek
Bradford	Custer City
Ceres	Barden Brook
Corydon	Moota Ross
Eldred Boro	2d Intermediate
Eldred	Stulltown
Foster	Bells Camp
Hamilton	White Gravel
Hamlin	Griffith Switch
Kane	Grammar school
Keating	Newton
Lafayette	West Line
Liberty	Bulls
Mt. Jewett	High school
Norwich	Crosby
Otto	Fullerton
Port Allegany	High school
Sergeant	Amend
Smethport	Primary
Wetmore	Larson

Two schools, Moota Ross and Stulltown had no tardy pupils during the year.

Death of Mrs. E. E. Heath

Mrs. Elmer Heath died at her home on Main street yesterday, about 11:20 a. m. of consumption aged 32 years. Mrs. Heath was born at Conneautville, Crawford county in 1864, and was married about 12 years ago to Elmer E. Heath. They resided in Eldred for about seven years, when they came to this place. Her husband established a barber shop here and they have since been residents of this place. For about three years she has been failing and last fall she was compelled to take to her bed, and has been gradually sinking ever since. Her husband and friends felt that the end was approaching and were somewhat prepared for the sad event. Her mother, three brothers, husband and three small children, survive her departure. The Miner unites with a host of friends in extending heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. The funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. to-morrow, at the residence. The interment will be at Eldred to-morrow afternoon. Mrs. Lawrence, mother of the deceased, arrived yesterday.

—Sunday, July 5th, will be the 10th anniversary of the Rev. J. Heber McCandless rectorship of the St. Luke's church. As usual he will preach an anniversary sermon in the morning at the regular hour. The music will be of a high order. A special anthem is being rehearsed for the occasion, composed by H. C. Wilson and inscribed to Rev. J. H. McCandless. The words are taken from Romans 10th chapter, 15 and 18 verses inclusive.

—Dodgers are out, printed in the Swedish language, announcing a picnic to be held at Clermont next Monday.

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GHOSTS.

My little sister Sue
Is most awful 'fraid of bears
I jump at her an' "boo!"
An' it gives her awful scares!

You talk of rattle-snakes
An' you've struck a bad mishap,
She'll holler "mercy sakes!"
N' run she'll run for mamma's lap.

The things at scares me most
Is when goin' in the night
To meet an awful ghost,
Big an' werin' clothes all white.

When I goes up to bed
I'se most allers sure to see
A thing wiv eyes all red
Lookin' ugly right at me.

I haven't got no fright
In the day time I can boast
But I get scart at night
When I meets an awful ghost!
—Charles Everett McCoy.

—Auditor's report of Smethport boro in another column.

—A. W. Colegrove has a new adv. this week. Read it.

—Bell Bros. have a new story to tell you in their adv. this week.

—J. Colegrove has something new in his adv. this week as usual.

—A. L. Carter is having a new barn built on his lot on King street.

—The school directors of Norwich township have a notice in another column.

—The commissioners have had a new roof placed on the horse barn at the poor farm.

—Last Sunday night the shale and paving brick plant at Jamestown was destroyed by fire.

—The Baptist and Methodist churches have interesting programs for the Children's Day exercises next Sunday night.

—The latest fad in jewelry comes from Paris and consists in wearing diamonds and other precious stones on the back of gloves.

—Conductor Frank Richmond reports that there will be inexhaustible quantities of black berries along the B. R. & K. R. R.

—H. W. Marcus, of Olean, has a new change in his adv. this week. Mail orders are promptly attended to at his busy hive of traffic.

—Lewis Emery Jr. & Co. have a new and attractive adv. this week. They are up-to-date and know how to please their customers both in goods and prices.

—Our base ball nine will visit Potter's capitol on the 3rd of July and put up a fine game of ball. The day following they will cross bats with Port Allegany's famous team.

—John Nolan of East Smethport while peeling bark last Tuesday cut his left leg very severely below the knee. Dr. Chadwick was called and rendered the necessary assistance.

—Rufus Hill, master mechanic of the Pennsylvania railroad predicts that within five years electricity will furnish the motive power and will be in general use on that extensive line of railroads.

—A reception will be tendered Rev. T. R. Taylor, the new pastor of the Baptist church at the parsonage next Tuesday. The members of the church and our townspeople are cordially invited to be present.

—St. Luke's congregation enjoyed another musical treat last Sunday night. The Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis by Tours were sung by the choir in their usual brilliant style. The anthem "The Radiant Morn" was well rendered.

—The Maccabees at their meeting last Monday night elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Commander, C. H. Burlingame; Lieut. Commander, N. C. Keeler; Sergeant, W. H. Morrison; Prelate, J. H. Stull; Master-at-Arms, A. R. Colegrove; 1st Master Guards, W. H. Holder; 2d Master Guards, Chris Herzog; Sentinel, W. E. McCammon; Picket, Lewis Ramer.

—One of the most unfortunate affairs about the assault and attempted rape of the little Rimer girl at Bradford last Saturday is, that the father of the little girl has gone insane. That a brute in human form will so far forget himself as to attempt such a heinous crime on a small child is almost beyond belief and there is no law in our statute books severe enough to sufficiently punish such a demon.

—Carl Sasse and sons have been engaged in painting the exterior of James McKean's residence on lower Main street. A look at the building is sufficient to satisfy anyone that they are artists in their line. The perfect harmony and blending of colors shows more than ordinary taste. Those who desire to have their homes look attractive could not do better than to secure the above named gentlemen to do their work.

—Tuesday's Era mentions the death of Charles E. Parsons, son of Enos Parsons, who died at the home of his parents at 6 o'clock Monday evening, of inflammation of the brain. He was aged 40 years. He is spoken of as "a young man of more than ordinary intelligence and numbered his friends by the score." His parents, a brother and a sister survive him. The Miner tenders sympathy to the bereaved family in this their hour of affliction.

—About 3 o'clock last Friday morning Clermont was invaded by bold, bad burglars. The first place they visited was Rudolph's tailor shop, effecting an entrance by forcing the door with a draw-head key and helped themselves to five suits of clothes, which were left there to be repaired. Bayer's store was the scene of their next operations, but when they forced the door, a clerk who was sleeping in the store was awakened, and scared them away with a revolver. It is thought the job was done by home talent, as it was some one thoroughly familiar with the premises, but there is no clue.

—The Miner offers a suggestion to the water company in order to avoid the roily water that always follows a heavy rainfall. It would be advisable to dig a ditch on the right side of the stream commencing below the reservoir and continuing said ditch up to the head of the stream. This drain would receive all the surface water coming from the highway and would be the means of keeping all the refuse matter from running into the reservoir. The work could be accomplished without a great deal of expense and would give greater satisfaction to the patrons of the water company.

—A Miner representative visited that busy hive of industry, the machine and blacksmith shop of T. H. Purtle yesterday, and found him and his men busily engaged in excavating under his building for a room 30x50 feet to be used as a manufactory and repair shop for bicycles. Here seemed to be life and thrift, and it caused the Miner's scribe to reflect over the fact that we had a man in our midst who was doing all in his power to awaken the dormant energies that lie slumbering in our boro. Mr. Purtle is anxious to start an industry here that would give employment to a large number of men, and be of infinite benefit to our pleasant town. It is to be hoped that some of our townsmen who have the means will see Mr. Purtle and discuss the matter with him. He has the requisite energy and push, but lacks the capital to make it a success. If Mr. Purtle can succeed in establishing his bicycle manufactory here it will have a tendency to bring other industries in its wake.

Return at Once.

Please return at once—Silk umbrella, silver handle, with my name and address upon same. Taken from the court house Tuesday afternoon. Suitable reward.

D. C. YOUNG,
Smethport, Pa.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills stop Headache.

Minnette photos only 75 cents a dozen at Gleason's for a short time.

Another order for a Rambler Bicycle was tendered F. C. Pierce, this time for Port Allegany parties.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

In Smethport, a fine residence, with hot and cold water, water closet and bath, 9 rooms. A three-story barn, a lot of 7 acres of cleared land. Only a small sum of money required, balance can remain for a term of years. Apply to

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The Miner and American Agriculturist one year, $2 in advance.

—The Miner office will furnish you note, letter heads and envelopes neatly printed, cheaper than you can buy the same anywhere without printing.

To the Thousand Islands June 8th.

On Wednesday July 8th the Western New York and Pennsylvania Railway will run a grand low-rate excursion to Alexandria Bay and the Thousand Islands. This excursion including free side trips at the Islands, covers 686 miles by rail and steamer affording one of the most delightful outings, at the least cost to be had. Tickets will be good ten days returning. Train will leave Smethport at 9:12 a. m. fare for the roundtrip, $6.50. For further information address S. R. Newton, Excursion Manager, 614 Mooney & Brisbane Building, Buffalo, N. Y., or local agent Smethport.

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Aboard Ship

Sea voyages are usually deemed promotive of health. So they are in most cases. But it may well be doubted if the shaking up aboard ship, which people of a very fragile constitution and weak nerves get, is not prejudicial if its effects are not averted or modified by a medicinal safeguard. The best, if we are to believe the testimony of ocean travelers, whether they go abroad for health, pleasure or business, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Invalids, commercial travelers, sea captains and yachtsmen concur in recommending this fine defensive tonic. So do emigrants to the frontier, the inhabitants of malarious regions, or all who are exposed to hardship or rigors of climate. For malaria, rheumatic or kidney trouble, nervousness, dyspepsia, liver complaint and constipation it is eminently efficacious and is commended by the medical fraternity far and near.

Dental Work.

When in Olean and in need of dental work do not fail to call upon Dr. L. M. Raub at his parlors in the Masonic Temple, No. 311-12. Dr. Raub is well and favorably known to many of the people in this county, having practiced here for the past fifteen years. 22-tfn

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We offer a beautiful line of new shirt waists made out of linen—linen embroidered collars—linen parasols—linen handkerchiefs—we have linen by the yard, with dainty embroideries to match—don't worry about awful prices—they are all right. Linens are new and just the thing.

Several Cloaks and Shirt Waists

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Now For a Big Sale

in carpets all this week. Will receive 20 pieces, if first quality velvet, Tuesday morning—new fall styles—you will say they are worth at least $1.25 per yard; will sell the whole lot at 79c a yard. 15 pieces of tep Brussels, 8 wire at 49c. 10 pieces body brussels best grade at 89c.

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Cold type does not do them justice—Perfect beauties. They grow handsomer every year. Inspect our stocks.

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The rush around the hosiery and underwear counters last Saturday means something. Regular made fast black hose selling at 2 pair 25c. Ladies vests selling at 9, 10, 12½ and 15c each. A little money goes a good ways at our dress goods counter. Commencing Tuesday morning we have a general clearing sale—dress goods and silk all at reduced prices. You know what it all means we do no advertise one thing and do another.

CLEAN UP WASH GOODS

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Furniture department still in the lead. Three-piece chamber suit at $13.98. Mahogany finish chair for $3.48; cobbler seat for $2.60. Fine upholstered chair at $4.39.

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Silks, Cloaks and Suits which must be sold. I [illegible] either gold, silver or greenbacks in exchange for [illegible] partment. The big Jumbo stock will be sold at [illegible] The entire stock offered at a mark down of at least [illegible] per means you can buy Dry Goods this month at [illegible] cents on the dollar.

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Early Summer Cut in Prices That you may have Time to prepare for
THE 4TH OF JULY.

To all ladies who have not already purchased [illegible] hats, we would say come as soon as possible [illegible] your selections while the stock is yet [illegible] Beautiful and Stylish Hats and Bonnets [illegible] down to rock-bottom prices.

We have about three dozen ladies' and children's capes which [illegible] been selling at $1.50 [illegible] will close the [illegible]

BLACKSMITH SHOP.

Thos. McManus, Proprietor,
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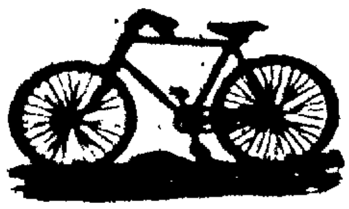

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If you would be insured against worry and annoyance in your bicycle riding, you must secure the bicycle with best reputation for reliable service—the

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Many cases of so called heart disease are only cases of acid fermentation in the stomach. The irritation from the acid hinders the action of the heart, through the pneumogastric nerve, and very often the excessive restraining power of this peculiarly acting nerve, becomes a very serious matter; the heart makes the greatest effort to do its work, but there is a shortness of breath which cannot be made up for, and the feeling throughout the chest is very distressing. Sometimes this acid arises and causes an acrid smarting in the throat; at other times the burning is up and down the chest.

Another stomach trouble is that form of dyspepsia which gives pain after eating. Persons with this disease seem to have but a scant measure of nerve strength; when food is being digested, the stomach needs the concentration of all of the nerve and brain force, and if reading or close thought is attempted soon after eating, the stomach commences that intolerable aching which dyspeptics dread so much, when, the only immediate relief appears to be to stop the mental activity and get up and move around. In such cases there is evidently for the time being, too little nerve power to divide between the stomach and the brain, each one alone needs it all to enable it to perform its labor.

There are two properties possessed by Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic, which constitute it a cure for all of the above derangements. One is its power of purifying and sweetening the stomach and stopping the formation of gas and acid, the other is the giving of increased nerve action and strength. Soon, with better digestion and better nutrition, there is a general renewal of life and health. The mind of a business man, under its use, soon become clearer and more active, thoughts come easier and are more clearly expressed, the memory is stronger, business plans and ventures are arranged in a better manner and are more patiently and successfully carried out, and details are attended to better because of the increased strength of both mind and muscle.

Women having the care of a household on their minds, find Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic to be a great blessing. It gives better digestion, better nutrition, more strength, cures that feeling of weariness in the morning, that anxiety of mind, that fear that something is going wrong or that something bad is going to happen cures dizziness, shortness of breath, pressure through the chest, belching of wind, rumbling in the bowels, heartburn, and all forms of dyspepsia that come from weakness.

Mrs. Eben Pierce, of Dorle, Potter Co., Pa., writes' "I can truthfully say that I owe my life to your stomach and nerve tonic: I was troubled with my stomach for over a year and tried everything I could hear of, but did not get any benefit. I was nearly in despair, for although I had only four in my family, I could not begin to do the work for them. an anxious friend wrote me to try Dr Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic, and I did. I did not expect to ever get any better but was greatly relieved on taking the first dose and now after taking only one bottle of your remedy I can do my work and my stomach does not hurt me only when I do very heavy work. I shall continue its use until I am entirely cured. for I am perfectly satisfied that it will cure all such stomach trouble. I thank you dear Doctor, a thousand times over for putting before the public such a wonderful remedy for human suffering."

Mrs. Albert Harman, of 2305 Fifth Ave., Altoona, Pa., writes, "Dr Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic has done me a power of good, that burning after meals has left me, I have always been so nervous that I would take nervous spells so bad sometimes that I would have to send for the doctor, but have not had one since I commenced using your stomach and nerve tonic."

H. C. Beatty, Barkeyville, Pa., says "For years I had a severe pain in my stomach after meals, one bottle of Dr Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic cured me; I think, permanently."

J. C. Fulton, of Dargettstown, Pa., writes, "I have been afflicted with the rheumatism and was laid up in bed a good part of the time; my stomach was in a bad condition and would not retain food. I began to use Dr. Day's Stomach and Nerve Tonic it not only helped my stomach but relieved me of the rheumatism and also increased my weight wonderfully."

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THE GAVEL FALLS

Republicans Called to Order at St. Louis.

CONVENTION IN FULL SWING

Leaders Finally Agree on the Money Plank of the Platform.

After a Long and Determined Fight, the Gold Standard Men Succeed in Obtaining a Plank That Is Agreeable to the East and the States of the Middle West—A Somewhat Modified Declaration For a Single Gold Standard—McKinley's Success Seems to Be Beyond the Shadow of a Doubt—No Vice Presidential Selection Yet Made—Some Talk of Forcing the Nomination on Thomas B. Reed—Quay Still in the Race—Lively Row in the Platt Camp, in Which Warner Miller Gets a Drubbing and Platt Is Victorious—Morton's Forces Remain Intact—General Gossip of the Convention.

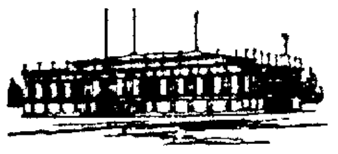
ST. LOUIS, June 16.—Today the gavel of Chairman Carter of the national committee beat a lively tattoo on the desk of the great convention hall and the Republican national convention of 1896 was in session.

St. Louis today resembles a bride decked for the coming of her liege lord. The buildings flame with buntings, the windows are adorned with pictures of the various candidates, the air beats with the pulsation of martial music as parading clubs go sweeping by the streets surge with people borne along in resistless streams while the hotel corridors are choked with a jostling pushing mass of humanity. It is estimated that 75,000 strangers are the guests of the Mound City today

The Southern and the Planters hotels, where the headquarters of the principal delegations are located, were thronged to the doors all day. Bands played in the rotunda and kept the crowds that pushed their way up and down the broad marble staircases until they seemed to creak under their burden in a good humor while delegations met and leaders conferred behind closed doors as to the final details

The most remarkable feature about the convention so far has been the absence of bad blood among the partisans of the various candidates. The triumph of McKinley looks to be so complete thus far that his friends can afford to be magnanimous, and his opponents can do nothing but acquiesce in the ascertained will of the majority. The partisans of Reed, Quay, Morton and Allison still wear their buttons and are as staunch as ever in their loyalty but they appear to realize their helplessness of making shrinking or offensive demonstrations in favor of their champion, and the managers of the anti-McKinley candidates have practically sheathed their swords. This does not mean that they have abandoned the field, with the exception of Governor Bradley of Kentucky who dropped out on Sunday night. The names of the other candidates will be presented and voted for and will probably poll their full strength

Indeed, the Reed men today have labored assiduously to rally their followers to the Maine man. They have appealed



CONVENTION HALL.

to his friends to go down with colors flying. So, too, with the followers of Morton, Allison and Quay. But no one ventures to suggest the possibility of McKinley's defeat.

The real struggle that is going on is over the financial plank in the platform. Around it all interest centers. Beyond the disputes in the various delegations over the supremacy of men and factions it is almost the sole object of plots and counterplots. It is the real battleground. In phrase and word it is all important. Upon tariff upon all other questions there is substantial unity but the differences upon it are as wide as the continent. Free silver and gold are as irreconcilable as the poles, and the radical silver men are prepared to stake their all upon the issue. Knowing they cannot succeed they are even now formulating the manifesto that will sever their allegiance to the Republican party

But these radical silver men are largely outnumbered. Headed by Senator Teller of Colorado, they have only mustered five states and perhaps one territory—less than 50 delegates in all, out of a total of over 900.

The real struggle is between those in favor of declaration for the maintenance of a gold standard except through an international agreement and those whose friendliness to silver, although opposed to free coinage, makes them seek to avoid a specific indorsement of the gold standard.

The result of the meeting of the various state delegations yesterday demonstrated emphatically that the convention will not dodge the issue, nor equivocate in language. Twenty-eight states, comprising the territory east of the Missouri, and almost the entire South, elected members of the resolutions committee, commanding and instructing them to vote for declaration.

Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Oregon and Washington also took strong ground for gold. In Indiana General Lew Wallace was chosen a member of the resolutions committee after he had declared that he would not stand on the Indiana plank and that the utterances for the maintenance of the gold standard could not be made too strong for him. Minnesota, with her 18 votes, instructed ex-Governor Merriam to insist upon a declaration of the gold standard. Michigan and several of the Northwestern states, notably Iowa and the Dakotas, and several of the Southern states, Georgia, Mississippi and Louisiana, announced their opposition to free coinage, but did not favor a

CHAIRMAN CARTER CALLS THE CONVENTION TO ORDER.

too radical declaration in favor of the gold standard. Iowa was particularly solicitous and feared that it might carry the Northwest into the Democratic camp in case the Chicago convention pronounced later for silver. The Eastern delegates are overjoyed at the outcome and believe that the result of this action removes the last uncertainty as to the character of the financial plank. The exact language of the plank has not yet been drawn.

Mark Hanna, to whom all eyes are turned, and to whom all are agreed belongs the distinction of being the dominating power in the convention, has had many planks presented to him, but all mean practically the same thing, the maintenance of the gold standard, until an international agreement can be reached and unalterable opposition to free coinage.

Coupled with these declarations will be, undoubtedly, a declaration in favor of such use of silver as the needs of commerce demand, but a not beyond the point where the maintenance of the parity would be endangered.

[illegible] Parsing of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the rough draft of a platform covering most of the subjects to be presented and this will furnish the basis for the work of constructing the platform.

The selection by the various state delegations of their memberships on the committees was not marked by sensational incidents save in New York and Missouri. In New York all the smouldering bitterness between the Platt and anti-Platt factions broke forth, and ex-Senator Warner Miller, the head of the anti-Platt faction, threw down the gage of defiance to the New York leader. He made a ringing speech, in which he spurned the leadership of a man who declared that McKinley was unfit for the presidency and moved to depose him by making Chauncey M. Depew chairman of the delegation.

There were hot words on both sides. Thurlow Weed Barnes denounced the Herkimer statesman who had been instructed for Morton as a traitor. The anti-Platt faction polled 17 out of 70 votes in the delegation and Mr Platt was re-elected chairman.

In the Missouri delegation Chauncey I. Filley who for many years had been the Missouri representative of the national committee, was defeated in his ambition to again be a national committeeman, and Richard Kerens was selected. This is the outcome of a long struggle for supremacy.

The situation as to the vice presidency is indefinite. Opinion does not seem to crystallize. The talk of Hobart of New Jersey Lippett of Rhode Island and Evans of Tennessee goes on, but does not seem to be regarded seriously

There was a strong belief early in the day that perhaps the New York delegation could agree on some one who would be satisfactory to both factions and there was a renewed discussion of Governor Morton and ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy but when the factions declared war to the hilt, all the idea of New York furnishing the tail of the ticket was abandoned.

Although the Maine delegation is not advertising the fact, it is most certain that they will present the name of ex-Governor Cleaves. Representative Dingley of Maine, who was spoken of does not covet the honor. There is still a lingering hope among a vast number of the delegates that Speaker Reed will be nominated by a spontaneous outburst in the convention and, if he is, they do not believe he could decline any more than Logan in 1884 or Hendricks or Thurman could when they were placed in the Democratic tickets in 1884 and 1888, respectively

MONEY PLANK AGREED ON

Somewhat Modified Declaration For a Gold Standard.

ST. LOUIS June 16.—The money plank of the platform has been agreed upon. It is a victory for the middle West, but is perfectly satisfactory to the extreme East

The New England contingent headed by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts backed by the Platt and Quay forces in New York and Pennsylvania, urged the adoption of a short, emphatic declaration and their plank was finally formulated at the conference held last night.

The plank

> We favor a maintenance of the existing gold standard and are opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement for bimetallism with the leading commercial nations of the world

This was to be the offer of the East and upon it they were to stand.

The leaders of the Middle Western states, Ohio Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin Minnesota and Nebraska were equally strong in their insistance upon a declaration that would not be open to the charge of equivocation

Michigan Iowa and South Dakota, three of these tiers of states stood out against a declaration favoring in terms the present gold standard. They rather favored something distinctively friendly to silver while affirming their opposition to free coinage under existing circumstances

The plank agreed upon by the Iowa delegation yesterday afternoon after a 4-hour struggle, and which is understood to have the indorsement of Senator Allison fully sets forth this idea. That plank was as follows

> We favor the use of gold silver and paper as the money of the United States all to be kept on a parity of value and the enactment of necessary laws to accomplish the purpose. We also favor the use of silver as international money either through international agreement to secure a common ratio with free coinage at such ratio by the agreeing nations or by concurrent legislation of the leading nations to accomplish the same purpose
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> That pending such an arrangement, which should be promoted by the power of the United States, it is unwise and inexpedient for the United States alone to adopt a free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 and therefore we oppose such free coinage of silver

The leaders of the middle West offered the plank which follows

This plank was submitted to Senator Lodge and other Eastern men as a substitute for the plank proposed by them and has been accepted by them as completely satisfactory. Thus it is believed ends the long fight over the financial plank of the platform

Senator [illegible] Foraker, who is the chairman of the resolutions committee will present it to the committee. This is the resolution

> The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879; since then every dollar has been as good as gold. We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are therefore opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved.
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> We favor the use of silver as currency to the extent only that its parity with gold can be maintained and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the money of the United States, whether coin or paper, at the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth

ROW IN THE PLATT CAMP

Warner Miller Falls Into a Trap and Gets a Roasting.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The gossip of the corridors today is the dramatic and exciting meeting in the New York state delegation, the result of which succinctly stated is the throwing down of the gauntlet by the anti-organization Republicans who are numbered among the friends of William McKinley

The result has proved interesting because in the bitterness of the battle that has been going on in that state delegation, it was apprehended that perhaps if Mr. McKinley was the choice of the convention he would suffer at the polls

But today, while the dramatic scenes are discussed with interest the McKinley people point to the open pledge made by Mr. Platt's adherents that Mr. McKinley or any other Republican will receive the vote of New York. As a result of the meeting it is found that 17 of the 70 delegates will cast their votes, not for the New York state convention choice, but for William McKinley

The delegates are George H. Nevins, T. B. Willis, G. H. Roberts, W. B. Atterbury, John Milliken, E. J. Klatenbach, C. N. Bliss, S. V. R. Cruger, A. C. McCook, William Brookfield, General Collis, R. J. Wright, W. H. Robertson, Albert Story, George E. Matthews, W. C. Dudley, N. V. Fanchot, E. A. Curtin

It is believed that their vote is surprising even to Mr. Platt. This leaves just 53 votes for Mr. Morton, and it is believed that this will be his entire strength in the convention, but the main topic of conversation today is the breach that undoubtedly exists between the three well known leaders, Chauncey M. Depew, T. C. Platt and Warner Miller

To the observant looker-on it was apparent that Mr. Platt had laid a trap for Miller into which he was tumbled by his own friends, who sought to pit him against Platt. The result was that Mr. Platt's oratorical friends who stood for their chief lashed and buffeted Mr. Miller.

Mr. Miller denounced Mr. Platt. Mr. Depew sharply told Mr. Miller that he had mistaken his (Depew's) attitude, and Mr. Miller told Mr. Depew as politely as he could, that he was a prevaricator and had purposely misled him.

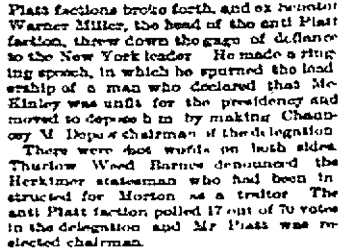
The arena for the battle had been arranged with the greatest care. When Mr. Depew stepped to the chair he faced a small circle of delegates three deep. Right in the center sat Thurlow Weed Barnes and Edward Lauterbach. To the right sat Warner Miller, surrounded by about 10 of the 17 McKinley adherents. In the second row on the right sat Platt and just in front of him John Raines, of excise fame, sat leaning forward awaiting the time when he could attack Mr. Miller. The latter seemed to apprehend the trouble, but was evidently not prepared for the withdrawal of Depew from the race with Platt for the chairmanship of the delegation.

The preliminary sparring over, Mr. Depew stated that he had misunderstood Mr. Miller's request about the chairmanship and that he had decided to withdraw. The evidence of this gave Mr. Miller's [illegible] such a shock that they [illegible] [illegible] into the trap laid for them. Whereas a [illegible] they [illegible] thought [illegible] [illegible], and before the [illegible], [illegible] the way, could stop it, General McCook had proposed his name. The Platt men were so jubilant that they laughed aloud.

"Ha ha! Now we have him."

"That's the issue, Miller against Platt."

"Now we'll fix him!" were the cries. Stepping out of the circle, tall, gaunt Thurlow Weed Barnes turned and faced Miller, who had given Depew the lie about his acceptance of the office of chairman. Towering over the man like an avenging angel, he gave him a lashing



IN THE LADIES GALLERY.

of bitter words that made even the Platt adherents who surrounded the delegates look with amazement

Sneak coward, crawler, traitor jayhawk and backslider were a few of the expressions used and Mr. Miller sank back in the seat his lips trembling, his face white with anger, his lips sealed. Following Barnes came John Raines and he was even more bitterly personal in his remarks

"Liar kicker and serpent in the camp" were some of Raines expressions and he would stride across the floor and put his finger almost under Miller's nose. Mr Miller made no answer to the attack and the vote elected Mr Platt by a tally of 53 to 17

After this sensational meeting had ended, Mr Miller said: "I fail to understand how Mr Depew could possibly have misconstrued my meaning. After the meeting when everybody understood the situation thoroughly Mr Depew talked with me and made no attempt to withdraw. His excuse at this time, it seems to me is therefore flimsy. I am not disturbed by the personal attacks upon me, but I am disturbed at Mr Depew going back on his word to me. "But," he added significantly "the fight is on in New York and we now know who our friends are.

Mr Depew reiterated his statement that he had entirely misunderstood Mr Miller's proposition

In some quarters it is said that the Platt contingent have agreed to support Mr Depew for vice president in the convention. A rumor is also current that the New York delegation may present the name of Frederick D. Grant of New York for that office. There was a meeting of the delegation early this morning

COLORED MEN FOR GOLD

Massmeeting of Negro Delegates Declares For the Yellow Metal.

ST. LOUIS June 16. The colored delegates to the convention at a massmeeting attended by more than two-thirds of the number, declared for the gold standard with but six dissenting voices. This action was the chief of the formation of an organization of colored Republicans for the purpose of co-operation in securing the recognition of their race from the convention

Thomas Fortune of New York and W. Calvin Chase of the District of Columbia were leaders in the movement and letters of indorsement were received from Congressman Murray and ex-Congressman Langston

Dr. S. E. Courtney of Boston was elected chairman and Rev W. H. Nixon of Alabama, secretary for organization

As the Massachusetts delegation gave the use of its rooms to the meeting Dr Courtney had difficulty in impressing upon the McKinley Allison and Morton factions satisfactory assurances that they were not being made accomplices to an indorsement of Reed. Their fears on this score having been quieted Rev. Nixon inspired a tremendous outburst of applause by the peroration of a glowing prophecy of the future of the Afro American that the highest hope rested upon religion education politics and money.

A resolution was then presented indorsing the financial plank which is being pushed by the Massachusetts delegation, and was adopted with about 70 yeas and only 6 nays on a rising vote.

Several other spirited and patriotic speeches [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the financial speeches [illegible] [illegible] harmony

QUAY STILL IN THE RACE

His Followers Are Confident of Confidence In His Success.

ST. LOUIS June 16.—[illegible] [illegible] will present the name of M. S. Quay to the convention and of the [illegible] of the Keystone state 58 will be for Quay and six for McKinley

The McKinley men voted four votes as sure before the caucus convened and they count the result as a gain for them although the caucus went from first to last as the Quay men dictated

The program was written out before the caucus met and with the exception of two unimportant items the proceedings were in exact accordance with the typewritten plans of proceedings

Governor Hastings was appointed as chairman of the delegation.

The caucus affirmed the monetary standard adopted by the state convention in favor of a gold standard

The only fight was that made against Quay by the McKinley men the vote on all other points being unanimous. There was no opposition whatever to the selection of Quay as a member of the national committee

The Quay men express themselves as confident of the success of their candidate, and declared that they would continue voting for their man as long as there was any contest for the nomination

Morton Accepts Second Place.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—As a result of much telegraphic negotiation between St. Louis and Albany it is definitely stated on what is believed to be good authority that Governor Morton has finally yielded to the solicitation of his friends and has agreed to accept the vice presidential nomination, despite the split in the New York delegation he is now to be vigorously pressed for the nomination.

New Facts Brought to Light in the Hammond Murder Case.

TORONTO, June 16.—During the past few days some startling developments have come to light in the case of William Hammond, the young druggist and law student, who will be tried at Bracebridge next week on a charge of having deliberately poisoned his young wife whom he secretly married in Buffalo under the assumed name of James. The crown has possession of documents which prove that Hammond endeavored to place as high as $20,000 insurance on his wife's life, but only succeeded in getting $4,000. These policies were applied for in Buffalo, New York and Toronto

There is a third party concerned, whose identity is known to the authorities, and whose arrest will shortly follow

Professor Ellis, to whom the viscera of the dead girl was sent for analysis, reported that the woman died from prussic acid poisoning. It has been proved that Hammond bought some prussic acid the day before the woman died. The trial will be sensational.

Female Diamond Thieves Arrested.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—Dora Denegan and Jennie Monroe, said to be the most expert diamond thieves in the country, were arrested just as they were preparing to enter the Planters hotel, by Detectives McCarthy of Chicago and O'Connell of St. Louis. The women had their baggage with them and apparently intended to register. Dora Denegan was convicted of stealing diamonds in Chicago and served a term in the Joliet penitentiary. The police consider them two of the best captures made since the crowds began to gather.

Houben Challenges the World.

NEW YORK, June 16.—In a cable to The Daily American Wheelman, Houben, the famous Belgian crack, who defeated Zimmerman when he made his last French trip, issued a challenge to the world for a match of 2,000 metres (one mile and a quarter) without pacemakers. The Daily American Wheelman has been requested to arrange this match between some of the prominent Americans and if the stakes are sufficiently large Houben will come to this country, although Paris is given the preference.

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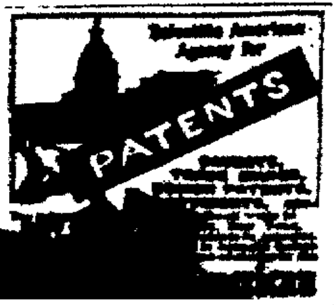

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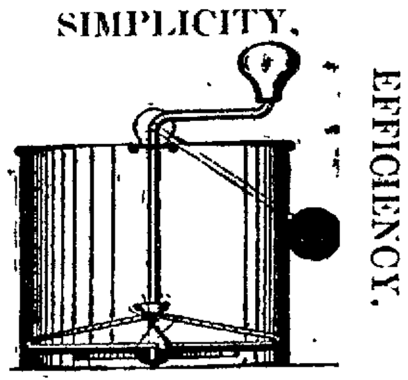

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TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

TIME TABLE

WESTERN NEW YORK & PENNSYLVANIA

In effect Dec. 1, 1895.

Trains leave Smethport for Larrabee, Eldred, Olean, Bradford, Rochester and Buffalo as follows:

Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday 9.12 a. m.

Buffalo Mail, daily except Sunday, 1.21 p.m.

Train leaving Smethport at 2.21 p. m. connects at Olean with River Division for Allegany, Salamanca, Oil City and Pittsburg

For Clermont, Johnsonburg and points south.

Clermont Mail, daily except Sunday 7.17 a. m.

Clermont Acc'tion daily ex Sunday 12m p.m.

LOCAL daily, except Sunday 7.40 P.M.

Clermont Mail connects through to Johnsonburgh.

Get Time Tables giving full information from A. K. WORDEN, Ticket Agent

K. BELL, General Supt.

J. A. FELLOWS, Gen. Pass. & T'k't Agt.

General offices Mooney Brisbane Bldg. Cor. Main and Clinton st., Buffalo N. Y.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect June 21, 1896.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

4:26 a. m.—Train 4, daily except Sunday, for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:23 p. m., New York 9:23 p. m., Baltimore 6:00 p. m., Washington 7.15 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia.

3:16 p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.30 a. m., New York 7:33 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 a. m.

9:30 p. m.—Train 4, daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 6:52 a. m., New York 9.33 a. m. week days (10.38 a. m. Sundays); Baltimore 6:20 a. m., Washington 7 40 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia, and Williamsport to Baltimore. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD.

7:40 a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday for Ridgway, DuBois Clermont and intermediate stations, leaves Ridgway 3.15 p. m. for Erie.

10:30 a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

4:06 p. m.—Train 11 daily except Sunday Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 1 leaves Renovo 5.40 a. m. daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc. 7.25 a. m.

Train 11 leaves Philadelphia 8:32 a. m. Washington 7.50 a. m., Baltimore 8.50 a.m., Wilkesbarre 10.15 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Emporium Junction 4.05 p. m. with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York 8.00 p. m. Philadelphia 11:20 p. m. Washington 10:40 p. m. Baltimore 11:50 p. m., daily arriving at Emporium Junc. 10:30 a.m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAILROAD

Daily except Sunday.

NORTH A. M. Lv.	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar. A. M.
9 30	Ridgway	12 00
9 37	Johnsonburg	11 41
9 49	Bendigo.	11 30
9 55	Glen Hazel	11 26
10 07	Straight	11 13
10 11	Instanter	11 09
10 18	Smith's Run	10 56
10 27	Wendrale	10 48
10 35	Clermont.	10 40

Connections are made with train 1, leaving Johnsonburg at 3.22 p. m. for Erie and intermediate points, arriving at Erie at 7:30 p. m., also at Ridgway with train 6, leaving Ridgway at 2 10 p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

S. M. PREVOST, General Manager

J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway

THE SHORT LINE

On and after Nov. 16, 1895, passenger trains Between, Buffalo, Rochester, Salamanca, Bradford, Ridgway, DuBois, Punxsutawney and the Coal and Lumber Regions of Pennsylvania, will leave Bradford and Mt. Jewett daily except Sunday, as follows:

LEAVE BRADFORD—EAST BOUND.

7.45 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester

2.00 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden, Buffalo, Machias Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy, and Rochester.

5.15 p. m.—Buffalo Express—Daily. For Limestone, Carrollton Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH-BOUND.

4.02 a.m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburgh Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

1.56 p. m.—Mail—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney

Thousand Mile Tickets, good for passage between all stations, at two cents per mile.

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For time tables and full information call on or address any of the Company's agents, or

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BUFFALO & SUSQUEHANNA R. R. TIME TABLE.

Took effect Monday, July 6th, 1896.

1	3	5	STATIONS.	2	4	6
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	Ar. Dp.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
[illegible]	[illegible]	7 3[illegible]	Keating	9 5[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	2 02	7 15	Cowley Junc.	9 5[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	1 45	6 55	Austin	10 3[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	12 57	6 45	Costello	10 [illegible]	3 3[illegible]	
	12 4[illegible]	[illegible]	Wharton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12 3[illegible]	6 1[illegible]	Logue	11 0[illegible]	[illegible]	
	12 1[illegible]	[illegible]	Hull	11 [illegible]	4 1[illegible]	
	11 4[illegible]	5 3[illegible]	Cross Fork Jc	12 [illegible]	5 1[illegible]	
	11 2[illegible]	4 5[illegible]	Germania	1 10	5 5[illegible]	
	11 0[illegible]	4 3[illegible]	Galeton	1 45	6 0[illegible]	
	10 3[illegible]	4 0[illegible]	Gaines	2 10	6 [illegible]	
	9 5[illegible]	3 5[illegible]	Ansonia		6 5[illegible]	
	a. m.	p. m.	Dp. Ar.	p. m.	p. m.	

[illegible] Cross Fork Br. [illegible]

[illegible] ar Cr F'k Jc dp 12 15 [illegible]

[illegible] dp Cross F'k ar 1 15 [illegible]

H. Hutchinson, Train Master.

C. W. Goodyear, Gen'l Manager.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R. R.

[illegible] Time Table, takes effect Monday [illegible] 1896.

A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	EASTW'D. STATIONS.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
8 10	7.30	2 10	Ulysses	7.4[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 33	7.21	2 00	Cronnell's	7.[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 25	7.16	1.53	Perkins	7.5[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 20	7.13	1.50	Newfield Junc't	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 04	7.05	1.42	Gold	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 55	7.01	1.36	Raymond's	8.0[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 15	6.50	1.21	Seven Bridg's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 10	6.46	1.20	Colesburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 00	6.40	1.14	Frink's	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6.45	6.30	1.06		8.45	2.40	11 30
5.50	7.50	12.56	Coudersport	8.45	4.10	1 20
4 49		12.51	Hammond			1.26
3.43			Fish Basket			1 40
3.30	7 37	12.46	Olmsted	8.51	4.30	1 44
3.34	7.46	12.41	Mina	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 48
3 23		12.34	Knowlton		[illegible]	
3.21	7.38	12.30	Roulette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3 10	7.31	12.22	Burtville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3.05		12.17	Coleman		6.47	
3 00	7 20	12.12	Port Allegany	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	Dep't. Arrive	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.

PINE CREEK DIVISION

4.00 p. m.	Coudersport	p. m. 4.15
	Fair Grounds	
4.12	Lymans	4.32
4.20	Sweden Valley	4.40

Trains run on eastern standard time.

B. A. McCLURE, Sup't.

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Direct lines between Bradford, Kane and the [illegible] county oil field.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT DEC. 16, 1895.

WESTWARD. p.m.	a.m.	STATIONS.	EASTWARD a.m.	p.m.
7 40	9 [illegible]	ar Bradford lv	7 30	3 30
7 30	9 30	Tarport Hill	7 [illegible]	3 [illegible]
7 00	9 10	Kinzua Junct'n	8 0[illegible]	4 00
6 47	9 07	McCalmont	8 [illegible]	4 [illegible]
6 45	9 0[illegible]	Rew City	8 1[illegible]	5 0[illegible]
6 1[illegible]	8 [illegible]	Rexford	8 3[illegible]	5 1[illegible]
6 1[illegible]	7 [illegible]	Aiken	8 1[illegible]	5 4[illegible]
6 43	8 [illegible]	Davis	8 1[illegible]	6 0[illegible]
6 [illegible]	8 [illegible]	Simpson	8 [illegible]	6 1[illegible]
6 2[illegible]	8 [illegible]	McKeane	8 [illegible]	6 1[illegible]
6 2[illegible]	8 [illegible]	Ormsby	8 [illegible]	6 2[illegible]
6 0[illegible]	8 [illegible]	Smethport	8 [illegible]	6 [illegible]
p.m.	a.m.	(P. & W. R'y)	a.m.	p.m.
6 3[illegible]	8 0[illegible]	ar Ormsby Junct'n lv	[illegible]	6 3[illegible]
5 5[illegible]	7 [illegible]	Mt. Jewett	[illegible]	7 0[illegible]
5 1[illegible]	6 3[illegible]	Kane	[illegible]	7 [illegible]
4 3[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	
4 1[illegible]		[illegible]		
2 3[illegible]		[illegible]		
2 [illegible]		[illegible]		
1 [illegible]		[illegible]		
1 0[illegible]		[illegible]		
11 3[illegible]		[illegible]		
10 4[illegible]		[illegible]		
9 3[illegible]		Allegheny		
a.m.	lv			

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